

Prominent Farmer Of Fabyan Passes

WALTER GRAY

The Fabyan district lost one of its well-known and prominent farmers by the death of Mr. Walter Gray who passed away on Wednesday, March 12, in the Wainwright hospital. Despite a heart condition from which he has suffered for almost four years, he was active until entering the hospital the day before.

The late Mr. Walter Gray was born in Big Sandy, Tennessee on August 31, 1879, son of Rev. and Mrs. Munro Gray. He came to this district in 1906 and was among the first settlers to homestead in the Fabyan district. In February, 1914, he married Miss Lillian Cherry and together they have made their home here until the present. He was a very successful farmer and always interested in all community and sport activities and was ever ready to lend a helping hand where needed.

Left to mourn his passing besides a loving wife are two daughters, Doris (Mrs. Stewart Fenton) of Irma, Alta., and Virginia (Mrs. Elmer Budgen) of Dapp, Alta., also one brother, Mr. Edmund Gray, in Tennessee.

The funeral was held on Saturday, March 15, at 2:00 p.m. from the United church in Irma, with Rev. Ingles officiating at the church and graveside. Interment was in the Irma cemetery. McLeod's Funeral Parlors were in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers for the deceased were Messrs. Wm. Johnson, Wm. Milton, J. C. Crawford, W. Adams, G. B. Golding and Henry La Palme. There were no flowers by request.

Easterly Echoes

Mrs. J. Savard and her two children left Tuesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Gidora, at New Westminster, B.C.

Mr. C. Feero made a business trip to Edison and Carrot Creek.

Mrs. Clarke Steel attended the wedding in Edmonton of Eric Steele on March 20.

Miss Allison Rome and Colin Carter were visitors over the weekend at the M. Enger home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cook are the proud parents of a baby boy, born March 21, at the Wainwright hospital. A brother for Joyce and Lorne.

Mrs. May C. Steel arrived home this week after spending the winter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holt's grandson, Jimmy Holt, of Prince Rupert, won first prize of \$50 in the Kinsmen Club's amateur show. The following paragraph is a quotation from the Prince Rupert paper:

"A warm-hearted audience at the Kinsmen Club's amateur show last night figuratively applauded a bicycle into the eager hands of 11-year-old performer Jimmy Holt when it unrolled its maximum response to his vocal solo 'The Minstrel Boy,' thereby voting him winner of the \$50 first prize. Incidentally young Jimmy won a gold watch last year in the same event."

"Knowledge of the other people gives you confidence as well as tolerance."—Maor Gen. Dan Spry.

Items From Kinsella District

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. H. Ross on the birth of a daughter, Mrs. K. F. McCallum of Calgary is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. McKie.

Mrs. C. Barker, Mrs. J. Murray and Mrs. A. Piwowar are at present patients in the Viking hospital. We wish them a speedy recovery.

A farewell party in honor of Mae Granger, who is leaving to make her home in Galahad, was held in the school on Thursday evening. During the evening Mae was presented with a leather writing case.

Visitors to the city recently included Mr. P. Long, Mr. H. Long and Mr. H. Ross.

Crows and bluebirds have been seen around Kinsella. Spring must be just around the corner.

Highlights From The Legislature

by W. Masson

The past week witnessed the passing of the estimates in the budget, also the further reading of many bills.

One Bill before the house provides that nurses with a grade 11 school standing may become members of the Registered Nurses' Association.

Another Bill provides that all adoptions of children must be done through the Child Welfare Commission. It also provides for closer inspection of the homes where adopted children are placed.

An amendment to the Public Service Vehicles Act provides that the Highway Traffic Board may grant a PSV license without holding a public hearing to consider the necessity of such a license being issued. They will still continue to hold sittings where it is deemed necessary to get more information regarding the necessity of a new license being issued.

A change in the Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act provides that in the case of two vehicles approaching or entering an intersection at approximately the same time, the vehicle on the left shall yield the right-of-way to the vehicle on the right. Another change deals with the case of the driver of a vehicle approaching an intersection, and provides that he shall yield the right-of-way to a vehicle in the intersection who is turning to the left across the line of travel of such a driver if the driver of the vehicle turning left has given a plainly visible signal of his intention.

Another Bill provides for the free hospitalization of old age pensioners, blind pensioners and recipients of mothers' allowance, and the dependents of these people.

A change in the Alberta Hail Insurance Act provides that an insured crop will be covered against hail loss while it is in the stock or the swath.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the electors of the Minburn Municipality for the confidence shown in electing me to the council.

I promise to do all I can to prove worthy of this trust.

R. C. Johnson.

Northern Nuggets

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones are proud grandparents of a son born to their daughter, Mrs. Archie Cook. Mr. C. Bjork and Mr. A. Dale have returned from working at the bush.

Mr. R. C. Johnson and Robin, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen and family, and Mrs. P. Miller and Morris were guests Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Bars.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson are enjoying the company of Mrs. Anderson's brother who arrived recently from Two Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ramsay returned home last Wednesday from a six-week visit to Vancouver and other western points. They enjoyed visiting with numerous former Irma residents.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. P. Miller and Morris who received word last week of the sudden passing of a niece of Mr. Miller. Mr. Miller left immediately for Manitoba to attend the funeral.

Mr. R. C. Johnson has been suffering from an ailing back. He reports that his new councillor chair is "comfy" so we hope he'll have a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bjork are proud parents of a son born Sunday, March 23 in Mannville municipal hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matthews entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ramsay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McKenzie of Innisfree returned Friday to their home after a week's vacation in this district.

Southern Sayings

Visitors to Edmonton last week were Mr. E. Tomlinson, Mr. A. Turnbull, George Foreman and Mr. R. Reber.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bacon are back from Edmonton, and we are glad to report Mrs. Bacon is feeling much better.

Mr. R. Foreman is home again after spending the winter in Edmonton.

The whist drive, dance and bazaar at Strawberry Plains went over with a big success. The boys and girls did many good pieces of work for the bazaar. Mrs. Tomlinson and Mr. Funk won first prize in whist with Mrs. A. Long and Norris Tomlinson receiving consolation.

LOW RAIL FARES FOR EASTER VACATION

Special railway fares for the Easter vacation have been announced by Wm. Stapleton, passenger traffic manager, Canadian National Railways. The special fares, which will be good between all stations in Canada are based on the one way fare and one third for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale from April 3 until 2 P.M., April 7, or if there is no train service on April 3, tickets will be available the day preceding. The return limit will be April 8, or if there is no train service on that date, tickets will be honored on the first available train.

"We tend to over-organize our children with too many routines."—Dr. Florence S. Dunlop.

With The Field Supervisor

By F. W. Maddex

WARBLE FLIES

The Warble Fly campaign is about to be launched.

The M.D. of Wainwright has purchased a power sprayer to be used for the spraying of cattle for warble flies as well as the many other uses that it has, such as the spraying of weeds, trees and sheep. The warble fly campaign is being organized to give service to those farmers who do not wish to treat their cattle by hand. It is hoped that we will be able to spray a very large percentage of the cattle throughout the M.D. this spring, and in a few years to make the municipal district of Wainwright a warble-free area.

It is only through the full co-operation of the farmer that this spraying service can be made a success. We are asking each and every farmer with accommodations for spraying or if you know of accommodations to get in contact with E. A. Pittman, Chauvin; Ed Sanders, Irma; or the district agriculturist or myself at the M.D. office, Wainwright. The spraying season is short and there is a large area to cover so don't delay to let us know if you want your cattle sprayed. The sprayer will be leaving Wainwright on or about Monday, March 31.

There will be two sprayers operating in the M.D. this spring. Mr. Morton Herbert of Heath has purchased a power sprayer and will be working in co-operation with the agriculture service board to make this campaign a grand success. Mr. Herbert will give service to all farmers south of highway No. 14 and west of the Edgerton road to Wainwright. Our sprayer will give service to the rest of the M.D.

Charges of this spraying service will be 10¢, 12¢ and 15¢. That is 10¢ per head for 100 head and over, 50 to 100 head, 12¢; any number below 50 head will be 15¢ per head.

The Wainwright and District Agricultural Improvement Association are handling warble fly powder for hand use. One pound will treat from 25 to 30 head.

For those farmers in the Ribstone district please take note that there will be a meeting in Ribstone on Friday, March 28, at 8:00 p.m. This will be the last meeting held before the machine leaves Wainwright unless on request, so let's have a good turn-out and make this campaign a success.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hill of Irma wish to announce the engagement of their oldest daughter, Mildred Louise to Thomas Foulkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foulkes of London, Ontario. The wedding will take place on April 19, 1947 at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, London, Ontario.

LADY FROM TEXAS



The charming young lady in the picture is Jitty Potter, whose Tales of Texas are heard on CBC's Trans-Canada network in the western region at 6:45 p.m. on Thursdays. Miss Potter is a genuine Texan who formerly lived on a 15,000 acre ranch near Austin, but now makes her home in Toronto.

M. D. Wainwright Council Minutes

The council of the municipal district of Wainwright, No. 61, met in the council chamber at Wainwright, Alta., on Thursday, March 13, 1947. Councillors Dallyn, Spencer, Sutherland, Taylor, Golding, Smale and Archibald present. Reeve Sutherland in the chair.

Smale—That the minutes of 13th February, 1947, be adopted as written. Cd.

Smale—That the accounts as approved by the finance committee and accounts subsequently presented, amounting to \$2,937.11, be passed and paid. Cd.

Dallyn—That the cancellations amounting to \$89.36 be approved. Cd.

Archibald—That all the motor graders of the municipal district insured against fire under a Fleet Insurance Policy with the Casualty Co. of Canada, effective this date, the amount of insurance carried be on the recommendation of the committee appointed February 13, 1947, motion No. 40. Cd.

Smale—That liability insurance be placed on all motor graders in the amount of \$5,000.00 and \$10,000.00 coverage, with the Casualty Co. of Canada. Cd.

Sutherland—That this council endorse the application of the Wainwright municipal hospital district No. 17 to the board of public utilities to borrow \$185,000.00 for the construction of a 30-bed addition to the present hospital, and the secretary advise the commission accordingly in reply to their correspondence of February 15, '47. Cd.

Taylor—That Mr. Sutherland be appointed a committee to represent the Wainwright municipal district at the annual meeting of the board of public utilities arranged by the hospital board with the public utility commissioners for March 20, as set out in correspondence from the hospital district of March 10. If Mr. Sutherland is unable to attend that Mr. Archibald alternate for him. Cd.

On the invitation of Mr. Spencer Mrs. A. Glasgow, district nurse for the Wainwright school division No. 32, gave a detailed report of the activities for the year ended December 31, 1946.

Secretary reported on Old Age Pension, Dan McFadyen, admission of Victor Cyre to Provincial Training School, Red Deer, Alberta and admission of Mrs. Zeta Newell to the Wainwright Municipal Hospital. Secretary was instructed to obtain an admission ticket re Mrs. Newell, in accordance with arrangements with the Wainwright Municipal Hospital Board.

Spencer—That this Council purchase two Fire Extinguishers for the Municipal Garage from W. L. Rattray at a cost of \$235.15 each. Cd.

Archibald—That the report of Mrs. Taylor and Dallyn as to their interview with the Minister of Public Works and Mr. W. Masson, M.L.A. as to the completion of Highway No. 14 to the Saskatchewan boundary be accepted. Cd.

Archibald—That the damage claim paid in 1946 to Benoit for \$100.00 and Davis in 1947 for \$175 be debited to Division 4 and 3 respectively from their 1947 Public Works Allocation. Cd.

Taylor—That by-law 135 of October 1945, for the purchase of one Allis-Chalmers motor grader for \$10,001.00 be cancelled. Cd.

By-law No. 188 for the purchase of one Allis-Chalmers motor grader for the sum of \$12,005.00 presented.

By-law 188 passed its first, second and final readings.

The matter of purchasing a power sprayer for weed control and control of the warble fly discussed. By-law 189 authorizing the purchase of one Hardie Duplex sprayer with attachments presented.

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Spencer—That a petty cash fund of \$100.00 be made available to the field supervisor of the agriculture service board. Cd.

Archibald—That all receipts from the spraying of animals, eradication of weeds and other ser-

At the Churches



IRMA UNITED CHURCH

Strawberry Plains—11 a.m. Albert—2 p.m.
Irma Sunday school—11 a.m.
Worship service—7:30 p.m.
The Rev. H. W. Inglis will be in charge.

A hearty invitation to all.
"Hosanna to the son of David; Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest." Matt. 21-9.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Irma—Bible school 2:15 p.m.
Gospel service 8 p.m.
A friendly welcome to all.
"Being creatures of God does not make us children of God."
"But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His Name." John 1:12.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

There will be Celebration of Holy Communion in St. Mary's Church on Easter Day, April 6th at 3 p.m. Kindly bring your Missionary boxes to this service.

SPECIAL MEETING

A special general meeting of the members of the Irma Co-operative Assn. Ltd. will be held in the Irma Community Centre at 2 p.m. to consider the subject of paying interest on subscribed share capital and to further discuss the financing of a hardware department.

It is essential that all who are interested in the above subject attend this meeting.

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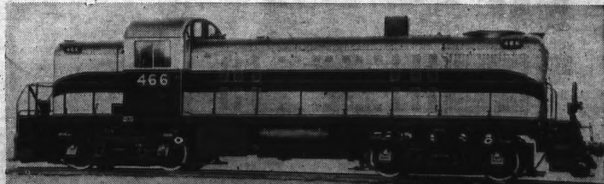
Give your local man a chance. He can do as well as the next fellow.

Services be deposited with the municipal district and detailed accounting kept of this machine, so that the capital expenditure will be financially liquidated. Cd.

Sutherland—That Henry Bude-sheim be granted the municipality's permission to carry on a barber shop business at Ribstone. Cd.

Matter of appointing a pound-keeper for division 7 held until a later date.

Spencer—That meeting adjourn, Cd.



FOR CANADIAN PACIFIC TEST

Pictured above is a 1,500-horse power diesel locomotive of the type which will be tested early in April under actual traffic conditions by the Canadian Pacific Railway. The locomotive can be used singly or in connected units of two or three, developing full 4,500-horse power in the latter case. Future of the steam-powered locomotive in Canada may well depend upon results of these tests. The Canadian Pacific is already turning heavily to use of diesel locomotives for yard use throughout the system.

GOOD FOR
STRAINS
JUST PAT IT ON!

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

MR. PRECISION

By DOUGLAS R. WESTON

ONCE Sam Perwell had loved his wife but now he regarded her with loathing. She had long since lost her ashen beauty and sylphlike figure; her white hair was always untidy and her patrician features had thickened and coarsened. Once she had had a waist he could almost encircle with one arm; today she tipped the scales at well over two hundred pounds and looked like a flour sack tied in the middle.

On the other hand, Sam, although edging toward sixty, looked no more than forty-five and, what was more to the point, still felt young. His capacity for enjoying life was still large and if Mathilda couldn't enjoy it with him there were others who could. Particularly Veronica. Unfortunately Mathilda controlled the

purse strings, a fact which Sam now decided to correct.

It was all very simple. The best murders are. In fact, the simplicity of it all rather astonished Sam and later, as he sat in his office reviewing the morning's work, he pondered that he hadn't gone about disposing of Mathilda years ago.

As usual he left the apartment at eight o'clock, calling goodbye to Mathilda, who still sat at the breakfast table, reading the morning paper. She reminded him, in the hearing of Hilton who lived across the hall, that they were going to her brother's that evening for bridge.

The two men chatted inconspicuously as they walked down the stairs and up the street. Hilton, who sold insurance, mentioned the "epidemic of burglaries in the district of light and Sam agreed that something should be done about it. At the corner, Hilton dashed across the street to catch an approaching streetcar and Sam turned east, nodding to Joe How, the laundryman, who was talking to the corner grocer.

At the next corner Sam turned down the street and slipped along the alley to the apartment service entrance and cautiously made his way up the stairs. He let himself softly into the kitchen. Through the doorway he could see Mathilda in the dining room fumbling through her purse. She never heard her husband sneak up on her nor knew anything more after he struck her with a length of lead pipe. She crumpled to the floor in a sprawling heap with a little surprised grunt. Sam waited long enough to ascertain she was dead and to extract her wallet from her purse.

He had to take a taxi to get to the office for his usual time of eight-thirty, taking the precaution to get out a block or so from the office. Milly Dell, the switchboard operator, was talking to the office manager who looked at his watch as Sam entered.

"I can set my watch by you," grinned the manager. "Precisely eight-thirty." Sam smiled, shaking the rain from his hat. His insistence on doing everything precisely on the dot was something of a joke around the office.

"Did you walk over?" asked Milly. Sam nodded. "Every day, rain or shine, winter and summer."

"It must be murderous in subzero weather," commented Milly. Sam said one became accustomed to such inconveniences, but privately he wished Milly had used some other adjective.

In his office he relaxed. The janitor would find Mathilda when he went up to repair the leaky faucet in the bathroom which he, Perwell, had expressly called him about the previous night. He would call the police and the police—Sam chuckled. He had no fear of the police. Everything was perfect.

The police came seeking Perwell just as he was preparing to go out for lunch. There were two of them, tall, husky young men with pleasant faces. One introduced himself as Johnny Beauchamp of the homicide squad and the other was Evan Dhu Carter, whose name was vaguely familiar but whom Sam couldn't place.

"Homicide squad?" echoed Sam. "Yes," Beauchamp nodded, his face grave. "Someone entered your apartment this morning and assaulted your wife."

Sam gripped the desk and swayed, hoping the distress on his face was convincing. "How—how is she?" he faltered.

"Dead," said Carter bluntly. It was



AULD ACQUAINTANCE
FORGOTTEN—A Labrador retriever dog, Gyn, arrived in Toronto, Ont., from Aberdeen, Scotland, to live with her 20-year-old war bride owner, Mrs. Eileen Bodrug, and meet the Bodrugs on Ronald, five months old. Mrs. Bodrug, seen here with Ronald and Gyn, came to Toronto from Scotland with her husband, formerly in the R.C.A.F.

as they were on their way to the apartment in the police car that Sam realized that Evan Dhu Carter was not with them. "He isn't officially connected with us," explained Beauchamp, "although he has worked with us several times. He just happened to be in my office when the call came through."

The police were courteous and efficient. Their efficiency almost panicked Sam. Mathilda was lying on the studio couch, covered with a plaid blanket. Other policemen stood watchfully around. Beauchamp wanted to know if anything was missing and Sam looked through her purse and in bureau drawers.

"Her wallet's missing," he reported. "I don't know how much money she had."

They wanted to know what time he had left and he told them, remembering that Hilton across the hall could corroborate his statement. They asked him if he had any ideas and he pointed out bitterly that the district of late had had a number of burglaries; only the preceding week a neighbor who had been walking home late had been pulled into an alley and the rings pulled forcibly from her fingers. Beauchamp nodded and muttered that the force was still understaffed.

After they were through questioning he packed a small bag and went to his brother's to stay for a few days. The police were not simpletons.

Mathilda was buried and the police had apparently dropped the case, after a coroner's jury had returned a verdict of death at the hands of person or persons unknown. Sam disposed of the furniture, sublet the apartment and moved into his brother's. Everybody was so sympathetic. Then one evening, Beauchamp and Evan Dhu Carter called. Sam was in the living room reading and he looked up in surprise as they entered. Beauchamp leaned against the bookcase while Carter slumped into a chair facing Sam. Sam felt uneasy. Beauchamp was regarding him thoughtfully and Carter had the satisfied expression of a cat who has caught a mouse.

"Mr. Perwell," said Beauchamp slowly, "what time did you say you left the apartment the day your wife was murdered?"

"Eight o'clock," replied Sam promptly. "I always left at eight o'clock."

"Yeah," drawled Carter, "and you got to the office at precisely eight-thirty. You're a very precise man, Mr. Perwell."

"Being precise is no crime, I hope!" he snapped. "No," agreed the detective. "But murder is."

Perwell gaped. "M-murder!" he stuttered.

Carter nodded. "Yeah. We did a little investigating. Around your office they call you Mr. Precision. They say you do everything precisely on the dot. You get in at precisely eight-thirty. At precisely ten you go down stairs for coffee. At precisely twelve-fifteen you go for lunch, returning at exactly one-thirty. At precisely five-fifteen you go home for the day."

Carter continued. "You slipped back in the house via the service entrance, slugged your wife and took her wallet for a motive. But you didn't go out the way you came in. You forgot yourself and walked out the front door. Several people, including a laundryman and a grocer, saw you pass at your usual time, then to their amazement you passed the second time. But none could recall seeing you return to your apartment."

Meekly Sam held out his wrists as Beauchamp produced handcuffs. "It was too simple," said Carter. "You were so accustomed to traveling precisely the same way every morning that after killing your wife you forgot you had already walked out the front way once, and promptly walked out the second time."

"And that," said Beauchamp with grim humor, "is precisely where we come in."

During the Azan, Mohammedan call to prayer, passers in the street must stand still, all work must cease and even the sick must sit up in bed.

SAUNDERS WHEAT
NEW VARIETY

WINNIPEG. — A new wheat variety known as Saunders, described as highly resistant to stem rust, loose smut and bunt or covered smut, has been recommended for licensing by the joint agricultural committee of the National Research Council.

The committee, in session here, said the variety had been developed by J. G. C. Carl Fraser of Ottawa and was a cross between Thatcher and 447, the latter a Brandon, Man., developed strain from the discarded Hope and Reward varieties.

Saunders wheat was said to be the equal of Thatcher in yield and superior to Red Bobs, grown in the Peace River, Northern Alberta and Northwestern Saskatchewan fields. It was two or three days earlier in ripening than either of the other two varieties and was also said to be equal to the best wheat in baking qualities.

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Will They Grow In Canada?

Many beautiful flowers and shrubs that will grow well in the Southern States or in the mild climate of England will not do well in Canada. One wastes money, time and work in trying them here. Our climate, soil and other conditions are not suitable, just as these conditions do not suit certain things that thrive abundantly here. To guard against the discouraging efforts to produce these plants here one is advised to stick to those flowers, shrubs and vegetables that are especially recommended for Canadian conditions. The latter are the varieties and types listed in the Canadian seed catalogues. These have all been tested under Canadian conditions and they are the only ones recommended by the Canadian authorities.

Any vegetable taken right out of the garden is as tender as a baby's foot, but as any experienced gardener knows, there is a vast difference between those properly grown and the other kind. The real secret of tender vegetables is quick and unchecked growth. To get this means planting at the proper time, not too early with tender things that frost or cold weather may check, and then they must be harvested when just right. Old gardeners push growth along quickly with plenty of cultivation, fertilizer, and water when necessary, and if possible. They also spread sowings out over at least several weeks so that young stuff is coming along continuously. Another trick they use is to plant several different types, an early-maturing sort, a medium and a late. In the seed catalogue usually will be listed the number of days to maturity. Thus we can purchase, say, peas that will be ready for the table in fifty days, some in sixty and some in seventy. By using some of all three there will be a succession of good crops instead of a regular feast followed by a famine. Most experienced gardeners continue making sowings of carrots, beets, beans, lettuce and spinach from the time the ground is first ready up to mid-July.

German Crooner
Unable To Get Audience

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APPLE CAKE

RECIPE

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Community Cook Book



SALAD DRESSING

1 cup of Vinegar
1 tbs. butter.
Put on the stove to boil.
Mix:
1/2 cup brown sugar.
1 tsp. mustard.
1 tsp. corn starch or flour.
Dash of salt and pepper.
2 eggs.
1 cup cream.
Boil all together in double boil-
er until thick. Cream may be ad-
ded if too thick when using.

Mrs. Paul J. Weisser.

T.B. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. Would altitude increase the
number of white corpuscles in
one's blood when the increase in
altitude was from sea level to
5,000 feet?

A. Experiments performed by
physicians at high altitudes would
lead one to believe that certain
of the white cells of the blood are
at least temporarily increased
when a patient goes from a low
altitude to one of 5,000 feet.

Q. Is it true that air travel is
inadvisable for persons having
arrested tuberculosis?

A. During the late war some
recovered patients were in the
flying corps and apparently suf-
fered no ill results. Many with ar-
rested tuberculosis use the com-
mercial planes without apparent
harm. Whether or not flying should
be undertaken is an individual
problem for you to discuss with
your physician.

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LOCALS

Mrs. Roy Miles, an English war
bride, and baby daughter, arrived
in Irma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland
took in the Orange Show at San
Bernardino, Cal., last week. They
are enjoying a grand holiday but
expect to be back in Irma shortly.

The Irma YPU are holding an
open meeting in the United church
on the evening of Tuesday, April
1. Everybody welcome.

Leonard Peterson has returned
to Irma after spending the winter
at Prairie Bible Institute.

A special Good Friday service
will be held in the Irma United
church on the morning of April
4, at 11:00 o'clock. There will be
the usual Easter services on Easter
Sunday with special music by the
choir. The children are putting on
an Easter program during the Sun-
day school session on Easter Sun-
day. You are cordially invited to
attend all these services.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie
Cook at the Wainwright hospital
on Friday March 21st a son.

Mr. R. Kirkman has left his po-
sition with the Co-op and has gone
to Edmonton where he plans to
study the "undertaking business
with the firm of Howard and Mc-
Bride.

Well, spring has sprung at last,
but we aren't going to take those
storm windows off yet.

Troop leader Vern Raham of
Elk point was chosen Scout of
the month at a recent Scout meet-
ing. Vern has won eight scouting
badges during the past month and
his many friends at Irma are glad
to offer congratulations.

The monthly meeting of the
Canadian Legion will be held on
Tuesday, April 1st at 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Ross Eaton is spending a
few days in the city.

The April meeting of the Irma
W.I. will be held at the home of
Mrs. R. H. Smith on Thursday,
April 3. Roll call will be answered
with a penny an inch for your
waistline.

Mrs. McLean will have charge
of the raffle. Mrs. Anquist, the
program. Mrs. Zoost, Mrs. Stewart
and Mrs. Fischer are the hostesses.
There will be special meeting
of the Irma Curling Club on the
evening of April 5th at 8:30 p.m.
Those donating to the Building
Fund of the Irma United Church
in memory of Mr. Walter Gray
were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Enger,
The Sew and So Club, Mr. and
Mrs. Jas. Fenton and Mr. and Mrs.
J. Craig and family.

The regular infant and pre-
school clinic will be held in Hed-
leys Hall on Friday, April 11th
from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

BUFFALO COULEE W.I. FORMED

At a gathering held March 20,
at the home of Mrs. Ivan Hardy,
a Women's Institute was organiz-
ed. Mrs. J. C. McLean of Irma ably
assisted by reading the Aides and
Objectives of the Women's Insti-
tute and answered numerous ques-
ries. Thirteen members paid their
dues and voted in the following
slate of officers.

President—Mrs. Ivan Hardy, 1st
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. F. Lukens, 2nd
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. A. Fleming, Sec.
Treas.—Mrs. C. Ramsay, Directors
—Mrs. E. Jones, Mrs. Robt. Lukens
and Mrs. Wm. Mathews.

Immediate business was com-
pleted and a very enjoyable after-
noon came to an end. Every one
is cordially invited to join or at-
tend any meetings. The next meet-
ing will be announced in Northern
Nuggets column at a later date.

Viking Items

A father and son banquet was
sponsored by the First Viking Boy
Scout Troop last Wednesday even-
ing held in the United church hall,
the catering being done by the
local ladies association for the
Girl Guides. Men present who did-
n't have sons were furnished with
same and visa versa, and the inter-
mingling proved a very happy ar-
rangement.

After everybody had been well
fed, Mr. Morton Lausten, presi-
dent of the local boy scouts com-
mittee acted as chairman. He called
on Mayor Comisarow for a
brief address of welcome to which
the mayor did ample justice. He
then introduced Mr. Holloway,
chief executive commissioner for
Boy Scouts in Alberta, and Mr.
Jim Scott, assistant chief commis-
sioner for the province.

Mr. Holloway stressed the mean-
ing of the Boy Scout motto "Be
Prepared" and told of several in-
cidents where boy scouts had ren-
dered assistance at fires, first aid
and other useful and commend-
able acts due to the training they
receive. Mr. Holloway meant just
that, be prepared, for any event-
uality. He also spoke of the Boy
Scouts doing a "good deed every
day" and the satisfaction it bro-
ught to the minds of the boys and
to those who the good deeds had
aided. His talk was interspersed
with good humor and anecdotes and
should add impetus to the move-
ment here.

At present there are 25 Scouts
and Brownies in the local troop.
H. E. Atkinson is the chief scout
master and has had considerable
training in this kind of boys' work.

After the banquet the floor was
cleared and Mr. Scott led the boys
and men in a number of hilarious
games.

About thirty farmers and citi-
zens turned out to the meeting
last Saturday afternoon held in
Hilliker's hall to consider the
possibility of establishing a co-
operative store in Viking. The
meeting got under way at about
3:30 when Mr. Harry Child was
appointed chairman and Mr. Cecil
Keat, secretary.

On a show of hands the majori-
ty present voted in favor of a co-
op store. A motion was passed that
shares be sold at \$25.00 per share
and no one person could subscribe
for more than 10 percent of the
whole amount subscribed. On a no-
ther show of hands the majority
indicated their willingness to pur-
chase shares.

Fifteen canvassers were appoint-
ed to canvass the town and dist-
rict for shares in the co-op venture,
and it is possible the number of
canvassers will be increased.

Mr. Andrew William Ovelsdon,
a resident of the Village of Viking
for the last three years, passed
away on the 21st of March at the
age of 73 years, 10 months and
8 days.

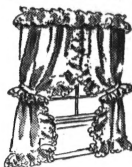
He was born on the 13th of May
1873 at Clay County, Minnesota,
and came to the Viking district
in the early days of 1906 together
with his sister and other settlers.
For many years he farmed nine
miles east of Viking. Three years
ago he sold his land and moved
into town. He is predeceased by
a brother, Oscar Ovelsdon, and a
sister, Mrs. Hanna Reid.

Dr. Ray, dentist, is now located
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The Viking Curling Club is
sponsoring the Easter Monday
Dance, April 7th, in the Commu-
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CHARLES WILBRAHAM,
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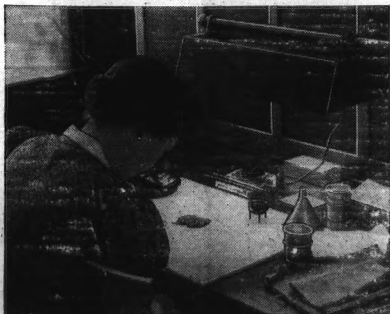
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